

## House Resolution 1246

By: Representatives Parsons of the 42<sup>nd</sup>, Manning of the 32<sup>nd</sup>, Wix of the 33<sup>rd</sup>, Johnson of the 37<sup>th</sup>, Ehrhart of the 36<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Miss Cobb County 2010, Casy Walker; and for other  
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Casy Walker graduated from John McEachern High School in 2007 with a  
4 grade point average of 4.2 and ranked 11 in her graduating class of over 900 students; and

5 WHEREAS, currently a senior at Georgia State University, Casy will earn her bachelor's  
6 degree in speech, maintains a 3.9 grade point average, and has been on the Dean's List every  
7 semester; and

8 WHEREAS, during her collegiate career, Casy has served as president of the Georgia State  
9 Honors Program and been an active member of the National Honors Society and the Alpha  
10 Delta Lambda Honors Society; and

11 WHEREAS, after graduating from Georgia State University, Casy plans to pursue a master's  
12 degree in communication disorders, earn a doctoral degree in autism, and ultimately work  
13 as a speech pathologist; and

14 WHEREAS, dedicated to promoting autism awareness, Casy works as a speaker, promoter,  
15 and organizer for Autism Speaks, teaches dance classes and volunteers with autistic children,  
16 and works in the Georgia State research lab in an effort to learn more about the disability;  
17 and

18 WHEREAS, this beautiful, intelligent, and talented young woman was selected as Miss Cobb  
19 County 2010 and will represent the county in the Miss Georgia pageant to be held this  
20 summer; and

21 WHEREAS, extensively trained in dance, Casy has competed against over 2,000 dancers to  
22 win 15 national dance competitions and has dedicated her time, talent, and energy to teaching  
23 dance to girls ages three to 63; and

24 WHEREAS, by her many achievements, grace, and poise, Casy has brought credit to her  
25 parents, Ronald and Karen Walker, her community, and state; and all Georgians are proud  
26 of young women who, like Casy, represent the very best that this state has to offer.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
28 the members of this body congratulate Casy Walker on becoming Miss Cobb County 2010  
29 and wish her every success in the Miss Georgia pageant.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Casy Walker, Miss Cobb  
32 County 2010.